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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In Re Application of: Henri GALLIOU et a TRANS Art Unit: 3742 Examiner: S. PAIK Application No.: 10/689,734 Conf. No.3995 Washington, D.C. Filed: October 22, 2003 For: SHEATHED HEATING ELEMENT WITH POSITIVE TEMPERATURE... Atty.'s Docket: GALLIUO=2 Date: February 11, 2005 THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS Customer Service Window Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314 Sir: Transmitted herewith is a [XX] Amendment [] in the above-identified application.] Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27. No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below: (Col. 1) (Col. 2) (Col. 3) SMALL ENTITY OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL ADDITIONAL CLAIMS HIGHEST NO PRESENT RATE OR RATE REMAINING **PREVIOUSLY EXTRA** FEE FEE PAID FOR AFTER **EQUALS** AMENDMENT TOTAL MINUS 20 n 25 \$ 50 \$ \$ INDEP MINUS 0 100 \$ 200 FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM 180 360 \$ ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL OR s If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space. The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed. [XX] Conditional Petition for Extension of Time If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. [XX] It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below: Small Entity Other Than Small Entity Response Filed Within Response Filed Within 1 First \$ 60.00 First 120.00 \$ 225.00 \$ 450.00 Second Third \$ 510.00 Third \$ 1020.00 Fourth - \$ 795.00 Fourth - \$ 1590.00 Month After Time Period Set Month After Time Period Set

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